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Re: Applicants: Matthew L. Heston and James T. Theodoras II
Assignee: Cisco Technology, Inc.
Title: High-Density, Zero-Height, Free-Floating Interconnect System (as amended)
Application No.: 10/726,927
Examiner: Minh N. Trinh
Attorney Docket No.: CIS0107D1US
Filing Date: December 3, 2003
Group Art Unit: 3729

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (*in duplicate*); and
- (3) Response to Ex Parte Quayle (5 pages).

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Total Claims	15	Minus	45	=	0	x \$50.00	\$	0.00
Independent Claims	1	Minus	5	=	0	x \$200.00	\$	0.00
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RESPONSE TO EX PARTE QUAYLE

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated January 9, 2007, having a shortened statutory period expiring on March 9, 2007. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

No Amendments to the Specification or Drawings are presented in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.